

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
DISTRICT OF SOUTH CAROLINA
BEAUFORT DIVISION**

Kiril Zahariev,

Plaintiff,

v.

North Island Baptist Church,

Defendant.

Case No. 9:24-cv-326-RMG

ORDER

Before the Court is the Report and Recommendation (R&R) of the Magistrate Judge recommending that the Court grant partial judgment on the pleadings. (Dkt. No. 148). Plaintiff has filed objections to the R & R. (Dkt. No. 150). After carefully reviewing the Third Amended Complaint, the R & R, and Objections, the Court finds that due to the intensive factual nature of the claims, it would be preferable to develop a record before addressing the merits of Plaintiff's various causes of action. Consequently, the Court declines to adopt the R & R and remands the matter to the Magistrate Judge to issue a scheduling order in this matter.

AND IT IS SO ORDERED.

s/ Richard Mark Gergel

Richard Mark Gergel
United States District Judge

July 2, 2025
Charleston, South Carolina